

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN  
SOUTHERN DIVISION

JEFFREY LAPINSKE, *et al.*,

Plaintiffs, NO. 1:19-CV-162

v

HON. ROBERT J. JONKER

CITY OF GRAND HAVEN

Defendants

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INTERVENE**

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**MICHIGAN ATTORNEY GENERAL'S MOTION TO INTERVENE**

Dana Nessel, the Attorney General for the State of Michigan, brings this motion under Fed. R. Civ. P. 24(a) and 24(b) and moves the Court to enter an order allowing her to intervene in this matter.

In accordance with W. D. Mich. LCivR 7.1(d), Assistant Attorney General John Thurber conferred with the Defendant's counsel, Geoffrey Fields, by email on

September 25, 2019, in a good-faith effort to resolve the dispute which is the subject of the Attorney General's Motion to Intervene. Mr. Fields concurred in this motion. Assistant Attorney General Thurber conferred with the Plaintiffs' counsel, John Tallman, by phone on September 26, 2019, in a good-faith effort to resolve the dispute which is the subject of the Attorney General's Motion to Intervene. Mr. Tallman did not concur in this motion.

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## PROOF OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that on September 30, 2019, I electronically filed the foregoing paper with the Clerk of the Court using the ECF system which will send notification of such filing as well as via US Mail to all non-ECF participants.

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